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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Liu, et al.) Art Unit: 3737
Application No.: 10/736,232) Examiner: Francis J. Jaworski
Filed: December 15, 2003) Confirmation No. 3147
FOR: "System for Producing an Ultrasound Image Using Line-Based Image Reconstruction"))))

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

NEEDLE & ROSENBERG, P.C.

Customer Number 23859

December 8, 2005

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136 to take action required in the application identified in the caption, as reflected by the papers submitted herewith:

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* Small Entity		Five Months	\$2,160.00	(\$1,080.00)*	
		Four Months	\$1,590.00	(\$795.00)*	
		Three Months	\$1,020.00	(\$510.00)*	
	\boxtimes	Two Months	\$450.00	(\$225.00)*	
		One Month	\$120.00	(\$ 60.00)*	

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A Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038 authorizing payment in the amount of \$225.00 (for small entity fee for two months extension of time) is enclosed. This amount is believed to be correct; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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